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Relief Quota Is Exceeded By Chapter

Appalling Disaster in Florida and West Indies Wins Sympathy

Red Cross Chapter Reports Need for All that Can Be Raised

Remittance for the Red Cross relief fund amounting to $450 have already been made by Sierra Madre chapter, according to W. R. Humphries, chairman.

Last week the chapter was notified that its quota would be $300 but almost immediately it became apparent that the need would be much greater than at first reported. Accordingly the local workers set out to raise at least double the quota and last night the total reported was $528.

As the extent of the disaster has been revealed by late dispatches it is evident to everyone that no amount that can possibly be raised will exceed the relief need. Although the quota is already nearly doubled it is desired that everyone do their part. Those who have not already made contributions are urged to do so at once. Payments can be made at the Sierra Madre Savings Bank.

Plans for the solicitation were considered at Monday's regular meeting of the directors of the Red Cross chapter. A number of workers were enlisted and the telephone directory divided among them. Some personal solicitation was carried on but most of the money came in voluntarily or in response to the telephoned appeals.

Those participating in the work of raising money were Mrs. Milton Steinberger, Mrs. M. D. Welsher, Mrs. H. W. Glidden, Mrs. Hortense Hill, Miss Florence Vannier, Mrs. J. O. Smith, Miss Lydia Webster, Miss Jean Woodward, Miss Elizabeth Steinberger, Miss Edith Blumer and Messrs. Humphries, George Ogg, Woodson Jones, R. O. Caukin and C. B. Scott.

Subscriptions received to last night are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Tarr, $50; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smith, $50; W. Jarvis Barlow, $25; Grace J. Hall, $20; C. W. Forman, $20; Jewish Center of Sierra Madre, $5; Geo. A. Jones, $5; Col. and Mrs. Hersey, $1; Sierra Madre News, $5; Mrs. Marion W. Vannier, $5; Miss Daisy Vannier, $5; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Farnham, W. D .Richards, $1; Dr. Adam Pawson, $5; W. L. Rhodes, Mrs. Frank Royer, $1; W. and Davidson, $5; Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen, $5; Elizabeth Staff, $1; Friend, $2; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Park, $5; C. F. Lamb Co., Mrs. John Lowe, $2; Miss Jane Thomas, $1; Mrs. W. A. Adams, $1; Edward Schneeberger, Mrs. Angelia Schneeberger, $1; Lewis Schneeberger, $1; Mrs. E. Barker, $2; Elizabeth Steinberger, $5; L. E. Steinberger, $5; Maggie G. Steinberger, $5; Mrs. D. Springston, $5; Woodson F. Jones, $5; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Welsher, $5; Mrs. W. W. Murphy, $5;Lydia M. Webster, $10; Jean Woodward, $5; Mary H. Ballou, $5; Hazel S. Woodward, $5; J. E. Carpenter, $5; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. White, $5; W. D .Ogg, $5; Mrs. Geo. H .Cox, $2; Mrs. C. A. Trowbridge, $2; Edna R. Green, $5; Lydia Rintelman, $1; Gertrude Rintelman, $1; S. M. Home Bakery, $1; Sadlers, $2; S. M. Furniture Co., $1; W .J. Schiltz, $1; E. R. Davis, $1; Alman L. Smith, $5; A Friend, 25c; Frank U. Smith, $1; Wm. C. Shaw, $1; Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Ackley, $2;

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New Officers of Legion Installed Thursday, Oct. 4

The 1929 officers of Sierra Madre American Legion, will be installed by Ralph W. Stewart, commander of the 18th district, at a meeting to be held at the Masonic Temple next Thursday evening, Oct. 4. Visitors from surrounding posts are expected and the public is invited to the meeting which will be held at 8 p. m. Prior to the ceremonies the ladies of the Auxiliary will serve a dinner in honor of the incoming officers.

The entertainment feature of the evening is in the hands of Father Ronan, who a short time ago was responsible for the program sponsored by the Legion at a Park Concert and a happy time may be anticipated by those attending, on that score alone.

Parent-Teacher Association Holds Its First Meeting

The first meeting for the year of the Parent-Teachers Association was held in the kindergarten room Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. The first business to come before the association was the resignation of Mrs. James Heasley as secretary, and the vacancy thus created was filled by Mrs. U. M. Fox, of 50 East Laurel.

The following committee chairmen were appointed: Program, Mrs. George MacRoberts; welfare, Miss Elizabeth Steinberger; membership, Mrs. H. Lasater.

Mrs. Ellen Barker, school nurse, gave an interesting talk regarding the Baby Clinic which is held the first and third Thursdays of each month at the Park House, and welfare work. Mrs. Barker urges every mother to bring her child or children to the clinic for free examination, especially those who have had whooping cough, to determine the effects on the child and its present condition.

E. D. Burbank gave a most interesting talk on local school conditions, especially in regard to the proposed junior high school. He answered many questions in a satisfactory manner. An open discussion followed the talk.

Mrs. Patterson, in charge of the school cafeteria, gave a talk on dietetics, with particular attention to balanced diet. Mrs. Patterson took a university extension course during the past summer and understands the subject thoroly.

Four Teams On the Field In Football

Two Divisions Offer Plenty of Chances to Win Berths

Football aspirants at high school and junior college have four teams toward which they can direct their ambitions. So far the upper division, or 13th and 14th grades, has only the A or varsity team, which will compete with teams of other junior colleges. In the lower division, 11th and 12th grades, there are three teams, the varsity, the lightweights and the midgets.

Hugh Addis is reported as the only Sierra Madre man out for the upper division team. Jack Young is an aspirant for a berth on the lower division varsity. "Chuck" Schwartz was also out for varsity but had to lay off because of a heavy cold.

Bernhardt Bodine is one of the management staff of the lightweight team, while Don Hardy, Joseph Wiess and Don Blanke are candidates for the team. Tom Roe is the only Sierra Madre candidate reported out for the midget team.

Mrs. Wheeler Chosen Head Of Auxiliary

Election of Officers Held Last Night—Legion to Install Thursday

At a meeting of the Sierra Madre Unit 297, American Legion Auxiliary, last night at the Park House, the following officers were elected to serve during the coming year: President, Mrs. L. E. Wheeler; first vice president, Mrs. Stella Dennison; 2nd vice president, Mrs. H. C. Reavis; junior past president, Mrs. R. W. Stewart; recording secretary, Mrs. Ted Railsback; Corresponding secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Henry Olsen; chaplain, Mrs. Hortense Hill; historian, Mrs. M. D. Welsher; pianist, Mrs. Agnes Tyree; sergeant at arms, Mrs. Roy Pickett; executive committee, Mrs. N. W. Tarr, Miss Elizabeth Steinberger, Mrs. A. T. Evans.

Information regarding installation will be announced later.

Bob Webster returned home Thursday afternoon after a motor tour of three months thru the northwest. Claire Langley, who accompanied him on the trip, came home a little earlier for the opening of junior college.

The Misses Mary Davis and Frances Glidden, as members, and Anna Green, as a guest, were present at a very lovely formal tea given by the Phenix Club at LaRamada Inn, last Saturday, September 22.

New Hebrew Center Plan Takes Shape

Building Fund is Increased At Celebration of Yom Kippur

Establishment of Regular Congregation Here is Planned

New impetus was given the movement for a new home for the Sierra Madre Jewish Center with the celebration of Yom Kippur, the Hebrew New Year on Sunday and Monday. The event took place in the Masonic Temple.

The period of fasting was begun with appropriate services Sunday night, and continued until Monday night. The observance was concluded with fitting services and a social occasion Monday night. The principal feature was an address by Mr. Derechten of Los Angeles. Delicious refreshments were served.

Election of officers of the Jewish Center took place Monday night and resulted in the choice of the following: President, A. Platt; vice president, Max Kauffman; treasurer, J. Krakower; financial secretary, S. Parker; recording secretary, J. Rosenblatt; trustees, L. Brown, J. Rosenblatt, L. Keltz, Philip Krawitz; board of education, N. Zeff, W. Rothman, A. Smith.

When the building project of the Center was discussed great enthusiasm was aroused. The sum of $400 was donated which, with the funds already on hand, seemed to justify proceeding with the building plans in the near future.

Change of name for the organization and the formation of a regular Hebrew congregation were discussed. These and other matters pertaining to the building project were left for decision at a specially called meeting later in the week. When these details have been decided it is expected the enterprise will take definite shape.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Silverman, former residents of East Montecito Avenue, have returned to Sierra Madre after a motor trip of several months in the east.

Congregationalists To Hold Rally Next Sunday

The members and friends of the Congregational Church will get together for their fall rally in the new church next Sunday. At 9:30 the entire school will meet in the Social Hall, when pupils of the various grades will be promoted, when according to custom Bibles will be given to the Primary graduates. The pastor will give a rally talk to the children and the whole school below the Young People's Department will join in a pageant. A Perry picture will be given to each child bringing a new pupil and a special gift to the one bringing the most.

The morning service at 11:00 o'clock will have special reference to the Rally Day. The pastor will preach on "All Together," and the choir will give special music.

At 7:30 p. m. a rare treat is in store for the people of Sierra Madre in having Dr. E. P. Ryland as the preacher. Dr. Ryland, now secretary of the Los Angeles Church Federation, was pastor for some years of the Mt. Hollywood Congregational Church of Los Angeles. He is a strong preacher and will speak on "Present Social Conditions Thru the Eyes of a Christian."

The first communion of the fall will be held on October 7 at 11 o'clock, and the ladies will have their first meeting on Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ellis Scantlebury, who has been spending the summer at Laguna Beach, has removed to Los Angeles, where she will reside at 4522 Willowbrook Avenue with her daughter, Miss Eva Scantlebury. The latter is a teacher at the University of California, teachers' college.

Mra. and Mrs. Fred C. Allbrecht of 435 East Grand View had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heitz and family, formerly of Salt Lake City, Utah, now of Hollywood, and Mrs. Smith of Evanston, Wyoming, mother of Mr. Heitz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Belohlavek returned home on Tuesday from a week's motor trip to San Francisco.

Tarkington Play To be Given Soon By Talented Cast

"The Wren" by Booth Tarkington will be produced under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge on October 26 and 27. The Woman's Club House has been secured for the performance. The play is already in rehearsal and a small but strong cast gives promise of a noteworthy production. Mrs. H. E. Allen is directing.

One wall of the living room of an old New England home is taken down for us to glimpse the life within. The characters are not the "stagey" variety, but are faithful portraits of real human beings achieved by the genius of this great American playwright. The play is redolent of the pine forests, the wild flower strewn meadows, the salt tang of the Atlantic coast, as of the tang of Yankee humor. A serious crisis develops out of the conflicting desires and emotions like the gathering of thunder clouds, but with the final curtain all is peace again. "The Wren" was a great success in New York and has not yet been produced in our locality.

Hazzards to Play Here On Sunday

Baseball at Local Park Every Weekend Assured by 'Hook-up'

Manager C. B. Scott of the Sierra Madre ball team attended a meeting of base ball managers of Southern California amateur teams Monday night and made arrangements for regular games in Sierra Madre during the winter months.

The season will be opened with a game between the locals and the Hazzards, one of the well known teams of Los Angeles. The game will be called Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, on the new ball grounds. There will be no admission charge, but a collection will be taken to defray expenses.

During the season such teams as Carey's Indians, Wood Bros., Harold Lloyd's, and others will appear here and the prospects for a season of clean sport are very bright.

The local team is beginning to show flashes of real class and should be able to render a good account of themselves against the invaders.

Local line-up for Sunday's game is as follows: 2b, A. Smith; cf., Poehler; lf, Heber; rf, Parker; ss, Elk; 1b, Pratt; 3b, Harkness; c, Lama; p, Kinney. Utility, Langworthy and Brain, c.; L. Smith, McMillen and Lalone, outfielders.

The team management regrets that it has been impossible to schedule games for Saturday afternoon. During the summer, when most of the business houses were closed Saturday afternoon, the games were usually scheduled on that day. The players in the teams that will come to Sierra Madre are for the most part regularly employed in the business houses they represent, and the policy during the winter months is of course to remain open Saturday, all day. Consequently the only available games were for Sunday schedules.

Kiwanians of District To Gather Here

Ten Clubs Will Unite for Dinner and Program of Fun

Sierra Madre will be the scene of the fall district meeting of the Kiwanis Clubs on Wednesday night, Oct. 17. The ten clubs of the district will gather for a dinner, conference and evening's entertainment in the Woman's Club House.

Sierra Madre and Altadena clubs will be hosts for the occasion, arranging for the dinner and entertainment. The principal speaker for the evening has not been announced but will be provided by the district officers. Lieutenant Governor Frank Burns of Pomona will preside.

The district includes the Kiwanis Clubs of Pomona, Ontario, Claremont, Monrovia, San Gabriel, Alhambra, Pasadena, Altadena and South Pasadena. A large representation is expected from each club, assuring a crowd which will tax the clubhouse. The event will be for Kiwanis members only and the regular weekly meeting of the local club will be dispensed with that week. President Tasker Webster has appointed committees to look after local arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Waverly E. Pratt were guests Saturday night at Long Beach of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Freeman who entertained 30 of their friends at a bridge supper.

Deadlock In Council Over Vacant Post

Councilman Adjourn Without Reaching Agreement on Candidate

Special Election Must Be Held if Choice is Not Made Soon

Although the city council did a rushing business in the filling of vacancies in official positions at Tuesday night's meeting, the councilmen were unable to agree on a candidate to fill the vacancy in their own number.

After a long evening's work on routine matters and appointments to other positions, Mayor Thayer announced that the filling of the place made vacant by the passing of Col. Herman Hall would be the next order of business. He called for an informal ballot. This resulted in two votes for James N. Hawks and two for George Hapgood.

The council then took a ten-minute recess and retired to a conference room across the hall while both the remaining spectators waited patiently for the outcome. After awhile the council filed back to their places and the mayor announced that, no agreement seeming likely, he would entertain a motion to adjourn. The board had agreed to meet again Friday afternoon to consider water department matters, and adjournment was taken to that time.

Mr. Hawks received the votes of Mayor Thayer and Councilman Myers, while Mr. Hapgood had the votes of Councilmen Isaacs and Belohlavek.

Under the state law, the vacancy must be filled by appointment within thirty days, otherwise the city will be put to the expense and delay of a special election.

R. S. Corlett was appointed to the place on the city planning commission made vacant by the resignation of Mrs. Laura Cline.

E. D. Burbank and Miss Edith Blumer were appointed to places on the library board. They will succeed Donald C. Ashmore, who has served as chairman for several years, and Mrs. L. E. Steinberger, who declined reappointment. Mr. Burbank's term will expire in 1930 and Miss Blumer's in 1931. The other members and year in which their terms end are Walter W. Alley, 1929; Mrs. H. E. Allen, 1930, and Mrs. J. N. Hawks, 1931.

George Cox was appointed chief of police to succeed E. H. Keegan who resigned to accept a civil service position as deputy sheriff. Mr. Cox has spent about 15 years in police work, having served as city marshal, night watchman and relief man in Sierra Madre at various times, and has also served in other places. He has been a close student of police methods, and is known as an expert with shooting irons capable of shooting it out with the most experienced crooks.

City Clerk iDetz reported the receipt of a check for $405 from the Quality Electric Co., Los Angeles, for a 60-H. P. electric motor, starter, etc. The motor was formerly the property of the water department. In some way Supt. J. E. Capenter heard of it and could not find it. The city having no equipment inventory by which it could be traced, he began making inquiries. Finally someone remembered that the motor had been replaced in the pumping plant and had been taken to Los Angeles to be sold. Mr. Carpenter then found that it had been taken on consignment by the Quality Company whose records showed that it had been sold but no remittance made. There was no accounting for removal or sale of the motor in the city records. The deal was made long before Mr. Carpenter assumed his duties in Sierra Madre.

Rev. Moore Writes To Friends of New Home in Arizona

Mr. George G. Ogg received the following letter from Rev. R. E. Moore, former rector of the Church of the Ascension, who is now rector of St. Paul's Church at Tombstone, Arizona, which will be of interest to the many friends of the Moores in this city. The letter, in part, is as follows:

"I am in a much better position financially as pastor here than at any previous call and the people are very hospitable. The climate is ideal (4550 feet elevation with constant breeze). The church building is large and lofty, English Gothic. The rectory is an up-to-date one, just completed. I am furnished a Dodge sedan and its maintenance.

"But we have not forgotten our Sierra Madre friends and miss them very much. Please remember us to all equiring friends, especially the Royal British Society, and the Tennyson Circle members, and we hope to see them all when we come to the coast for our first vacation next summer. Mrs. Moore and the children join in cordial greetings.

Rev. Moore always took a very active part in the social life of Sierra Madre and added much to the educational and musical advancement of our community. His genial personality is greatly missed by his church and social coworkers.

Fans to Get World Series At the Park

Powerful Radio Set to Be Installed by Radio Shop Proprietors

George McRoberts and Don Hosford of the Radio Shop are going to give local baseball fans a chance to listen in on returns from the world's series baseball games in comfort. They have offered to install a radio set with powerful loud speaker in the city park at Central and Hermosa. Permission to do so was granted at Tuesday night's meeting of the city council.

The series will begin in all probability next Thursday, October 4, with the New York Yankees facing the St. Louis Cardinals, or possibly the New York Giants. The high pitch of interest attending the close races in both big leagues will bring fans up to the world's series thoroly keyed up.

Seats will be provided in the park and fans will be able to get the returns without the bother of traffic noises which mar radio reception in the business district. However, for those who cannot get away from the business district the games will be received at the Radio Shop as well as at other places about town.

Coffee Shop Managed by Miss Tuggle

Sierra Madre Has Claim to Having Youngest Cafe Manager

Sierra Madre's newest business man is not a man at all. And that is not because of years too few for a grown man, but because it's a girl—Miss Ethel Tuggle. This week Miss Tuggle assumed charge of the Coffee Shop, started several months ago by M. A. Card and developed into a prosperous business.

While her mother, Mrs. C. H. Tuggle, will be associated with her in the business, Miss Tuggle is officially designated as manager, and can probably qualify as the youngest restaurant manager in this part of the world. Both have been employed in various restaurants in this vicinity, are thoroughly familiar with the business and have set out to provide good meals and good service to the public.

Mrs. Card left the latter part of the week for Texas to undergo medical treatment, and Mr. Card will join her in the next week. They may return at some future time to make their home here, according to a statement by Mr. Card.

Alvin Fallert, Glendale high school senior, has been awarded first prize in an air-plane building contest in the east.

Band Pleases In Concert at Park Friday

Surprise Meted Out to Music Lovers Here by New Organization

New Members and Funds Are Needed to Insure Success

Appearing in concert for the first time, "on any stage," so to speak, the Sierra Madre band definitely established itself as one of the real worth-while institutions of the city. Coming but a few short weeks following organization, the quality of the music rendered came as a distinct surprise to the goodly number of local residents, some of whom came to enjoy the music, others to satisfy curiosity, and all of whom left the park with a most pleasing memory of an eventful program.

It was about two months ago that J. N. Hawks and Frank Hildebrandt, both members of a former Sierra Madre band, began to speculate upon the possibility of forming a band. The prospects were none too bright, but a few casual inquiries elicited the information that several local residents had a more or less close acquaintance with band instruments. Leland Auer, a newcomer, was selected to direct the new organization, and in a short space of time the band began to "put up a front." The remainder of the history concerns regular rehearsals and the concert culminating the park concert series.

Among the mainstays of the band may be named Tasker Webster, solo cornet; Walter Heber, baritone; Howard MacBurney, solo clarinet; J. N. Hawks, French horn; Frank Hildebrandt, bass, and E. H. Keegan, bass drummer.

Without these men the formation of the band would have been impossible, and the successful concert was due largely to their fine spirit of co-operation.

Several members of the Sciot Band of Pasadena "sat in" Friday night at the request of E. P. Melvin, leader of that famous organization, and Ray Rockwood, of Monrovia, proved of great assistance in the clarinet section.

Members of the band are hopeful that a number of young musicians can be induced to join the band during the next few weeks and that rehearsals can be maintained regularly during the winter months. Practically every section needs more members, and every youngster in the city has an opportunity to receive training that may be of real value to him later on in life. Parents or youngsters interested should see Mr. Hawks or Mr. Auer.

So far the band has existed without financial support. A fund of $10 left from the previous band was utilized in buying a few new selections, but that fund has long since been spent. Members of the band feel that the director should receive remuneration for his efforts, and an effort will probably be made soon to secure a fund sufficient to guarantee the continuance of the band.

Plans for the future incorporate a concert sometime during the winter months, and then semi-monthly concerts next summer. With the band appearing every other week, it is believed that a park series offering one program each week can be arranged next summer.

Garden Section of Woman's Club Resumes Sessions

The Garden section of the Woman's Club will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 10:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. George Lehner, 550 W. Central. Members are requested to bring paper plates, knives, forks and spoons. At one o'clock Mr. Clarence Hearne of Arcadia will speak on the planting of perennial borders for long time bloom.

Mrs. A. R. Hinton, chairman of the section, calls attention to the fall flower show Oct. 6 and 7 at the California Botanical Garden in Mandeville Canyon. A splendid exhibit of seasonal flowers is promised and the exhibit will be open to the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindley Eddy came down from Sequoia National Park this week to spend a few days at home. They report travel to the park increasing tremendously this year.

Heavy Work For Trojans From Start

The Schedule Calls for Hard Games Early in Grid Season

Early season pushovers are a thing of the past for the University of Southern California varsity eleven andthe days when the Trojans rolled upscores of 70 to 80 to 0 in their first games are gone forever, according to Coach Howard Jones. As a proof of this remark, Jones today pointed out that the first three games on the Trojan schedule are just about as tough as he would want in midseason, the trio of openers being Utah Aggies, Sept. 29; Oregon State, October 6, and St. Mary's, October 13.

The Utah Aggies, coached by Dick Romney, are expected to prove the toughest opening game competition that the Trojans have had for years, and their game with S. C. at the Coliseum next Saturday is expected to draw the biggest first game crowd in history. The Aggies had one of the best teams in the Rocky Mountain conference last year and this season their supporters are confident that they will prove to be conference champions. Captain Theron Smart, Aggie fullback, is one of the trickiest and most colorful men ever developed in the conference and the Trojans expect no picnic when they attempt to stop his slashing runs. Smart, besides being a speed merchant, weighs 170 pounds and can hit with plenty of power in his attack.

The Trojans' second game will be one of the hardest on their schedule, the Oregon State boys who will play in the Coliseum here a week from Saturday being the same outfit that barely lost to U.S.C. last year by a 12-to-13 score. The third opponent, also to be met on the home grounds, is the team that upset Stanford last year, the 1928 St. Mary's eleven, with the exception of the center job held last year by Bettencourt, being a veteran outfit.

Entirely Too Efficacious

Apply freely. The pain stops like magic! Keep the corn or callous wet for two minutes. Now it's ready to take out. Just start peeling it right off—foot and all. —Ad in a Cedar Rapids paper.

Taxation for Improvements Sound Economic Policy

There is much talk these days of taxes and debts. Numerous organizations are studying state and local taxation. Many people will maintain that we are being taxed to death, and these same people are the last in the world who would be willing to give up modern improvements provided through taxation.

The important question is not whether taxes are too high but whether the people are getting a dollar's worth for every dollar spent. Obviously when the value of the dollar has dropped so materially, a greater number of individual dollars is required to provide the necessities and conveniences demanded by society then under the old standard in 1913. Added to this is the greatly increased demand of American citizenry for better facilities for enjoying life.

A staff reporter for a New England newspaper recently made a study of cities listed by the state as debt free. His reports are inspiring. In one town he found an industrial plant operating the fire department, paying the police department, or rather the constabulary on the basis of hours worked, and operating a sewer system and providing water and light for its employes living in the town. Others shifted for themselves.

Street lights were bought and paid for by property owners. The public library was donated and maintained by a prominent citizen. The road question, it was reported, was the most outstanding example of why a debt free town is debt free. Country roads are not so good, but in debt free towns they are awful, the story ran.

This can hardly be called a typical American town, but it serves to illustrate the point. In this day when every fifth person can afford an automobile and probably as many radios, phonographs and other things until recently considered luxuries, it seems ridiculous that there should be objection to taxation which provides sanitary sewer systems and sewage treatment, well paved streets and roads and well lighted highways, police and fire protection, adequate school systems, public parks and playgrounds, and the multiplicity of other modern conveniences.

From the Old News Files

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Edward Ertz, well known artist, was commissioned by Miss Thomasella Graham to paint the portraits of her niece and nephew, Samuel and Jessica Graham.

Increase in assessed valuation raised the municipal income from $5,000 to $7,000 in the second year of its existence as a city.

Oiling operations were in progress on West Central Avenue, on the original paving job.

Edwin House, well known baritone, sang a solo at the Church of the Ascension services and afterward gave a recital with Chas. Hall Perry at the organ.

A. B. Stickney of Bakersfield purchased the grocery and meat market of Page &Co., previously owned by the Yerxa Bros.

M. C. Doucet purchased the confectionery business of E. B. Grilley.

The First National Bank reported assets and liabilities of $109,140.

N. H. Hosmer reported 200 registered voters in Sierra Madre.

TEN YEARS AGO

Sierra Madre's quota for the 4th Liberty Loan was set at $38,000. The campaign was opened with an airplane flight over Sierra Madre, mass meetings and a special church service. F. W. Nuetzel was chairman of the committee, with C. W. Forman occupying his usual place as chief statistician and directory manager.

The Rev. F.W. Goodman resigned as rector of the Church of the Ascension to take the rectorship of St. Mary's Church in New York City.

Dr. May J. Culbertson of Long Beach rented a home on West Central Avenue and came to Sierra Madre to reside.

Joe Evans left for Berkeley to enter the University of California as a junior after two years of work at Whittier College.

A Birmingham woman recently gave birth to a girl on Friday and a boy and a girl on Saturday following. The instalment system seems to be spreading. —Punch.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE.
No. 250377
In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.
SECURITY TRUST & SAVINGS BANK, a Corporation, Plaintiff,
—vs.—
CLARK O. RASEY, et al, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, on the 18th day of September, 1928, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against CLARK O. RASEY and LAURA VIOLET RASEY as Administratrix of the Estate of ROSE JULIA RASEY and the Estate of ROSE JULIA RASEY, Defendants, on the 14th day of September, 1928, for the sum of Twenty-four Thousand One Hundred Twenty and 81-100 Dollars gold coin of the United States, which said judgment and decree was on the 17th day of September, 1928, entered and recorded in Judgment Book 670 at page 2 et seq. (to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made), I am commanded to sell at public auction all the following described premises, situate, lying and being in the City of Pasadena, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Those portions of Lot Seven (7) in Block "C" of the San Pasqual Tract; as per map recorded in Book 3, Page 315 Miscellaneous Records of said County, described as follows:

PARCEL 1. Beginning at a point in the East line of Euclid Avenue, distant one hundred twenty-five (125) feet South from the South line of Walnut Street; thence East along the South line of land conveyed by C. C. Thompson to Levi Leland, by deed recorded in Book 162, page 559, of Deeds, one hundred ninety-two and one-half (192½) feet; thence South sixty (60) feet; thence West one hundred ninety-two and one-half (192½) feet to the East line of Euclid Avenue; thence North along said East line sixty (60) feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL 2. The North sixty (60) feet of the following described land, to-wit: Commencing at a point two hundred two and one-half (202½) feet West to the Southeast corner of the North half of said Lot seven (7) running thence West one hundred ninety-seven and one-half (197½) feet to a point; thence North one hundred twenty (120) feet; thence East one hundred ninety-seven and one-half (197½) feet; thence South one hundred twenty (120) feet to the point of beginning reserving five (5) feet off the west side thereof for street purposes.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1928, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated September 18, 1928.

R. E ALLEN,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court

BROOKS GIFFORD,
Boston Bldg., Pasadena, Calif.,
Attorney for Plaintiff. 51:2

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE.
No. 259431
In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.
J. H. SCHNEIDER and CELIA M. SCHNEIDER, Plaintiffs,
—vs.—
J. E. JAGGAR, et ux, et al, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, on the 19th day of September, 1928, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against J. E. JAGGAR and ELIZABETH JAGGAR, his wife, Defendants, on the 14th day of September, 1928, for the sum of Thirty-one Hundred Eleven and 07-100 Dollars gold coin of the United States, which said judgment and decree was on the 17th day of September, 1928, entered and recorded in Judgment Book 670 at page 5 et seq. (to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made), I am commanded to sell at public auction all the following described premises, situate, lying and being in the City of Altadena, County of Los Angeles, State of Californina, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The South fifty (50) feet of the North two hundred thirty (230) feet of the East sixty-five (65) feet of the West one hundred thirty (130) feet of Block 1 of the Replat of Block 11 and the North half of Blocks 10 and 3 of Altadena Map No. 1, as per map recorded in Book 52, page 89, Miscellaneous Records, in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1928, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs and expenses of sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated September 19, 1928.

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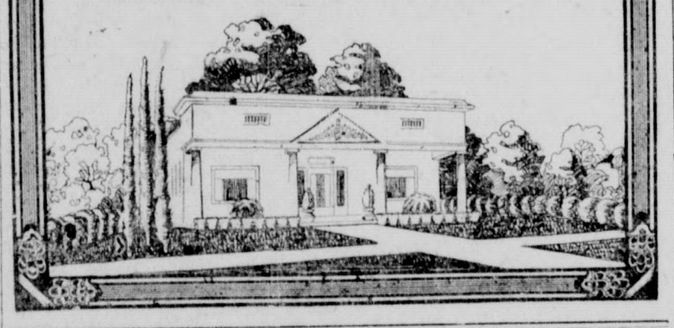

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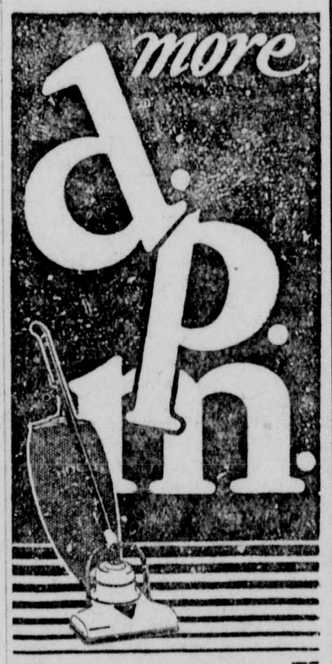

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